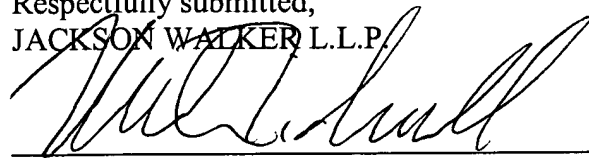


**ARGUMENT**

Claims 1-11, 14 and 16 remain in the application. Claims 12, 13 and 15 have been deleted. Independent Claim 11 has been amended. The Examiner is authorized to charge any fees arising from the addition of these new claims to Deposit Account No. 10-0096.

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